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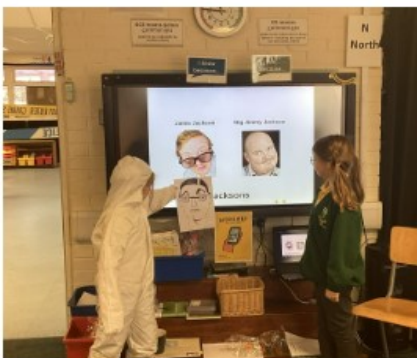
15th November 2024

CSI Day

We welcomed Jon Bates from Sci-High back into school on Monday to deliver a fantastic hands-on CSI Lowick day. The children investigated a mysterious burglary at the school. Luckily there were a few clues – shoe marks, fingerprints, a mask, gloves, a can of Dr Pepper, some chewing gum and some drops of blood. There were also some eye witness accounts and a written note found. The children were able to use their skills to collect the fingerprints and other evidence. They matched up a broken tail light from a car, used chromatography to identify the ink on the note as well as matching handwriting. They also dusted for fingerprints using the same brushes that the police use.

They were able to compare the DNA found at the scene to the dodgy suspects and identify the guilty parties. The day ended with an entertaining court room with a strict judge and usher, an arresting police officer as well as some characters who were sentenced to prison for their crimes.

Altogether, a hugely engaging but scientific day which kept us engaged in Sci-High's whodunit all the way through. Thank you to Jon Bates for leading the day and making it work so well for our children. [Click here](#) to see the video we made of our day which is saved under the photo / video gallery on our website.





Singing at the market reminder

We have been practising some Christmas songs ready to sing at the Barmoor Castle Christmas Market at 12pm on Saturday (16th November). Thank you for all your support and we hope to see you and your children there, if possible, for a 15 - 20 minute sing! Please note it is dog friendly at the site.



Christmas Fair and Christmas craft evening

Thank you to everyone for your generous donations so far we really appreciate the support. We are still looking for children's tombola items and raffle prizes, we are also looking for any parent/family volunteers who are able to help at the fair which is on Friday 22 November 3pm-5pm.

We have a few spaces remaining for the Christmas craft evening on Friday 29th November 6.30pm-8.30pm, if you would like to book a space please get in touch.

Parents Evening

Your slip with your time for parents evening will be in your Childs bag.

Please note there will be no club on Monday 25th November. Child care is available on request - please contact the school office to arrange.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 16th November at 12pm - Christmas carol singing at Barmoor castle country park.

Thursday 21st November - Thursday 21st November - follow up November Club day in school - creative writing workshops with Lisette Auton.

Friday 22nd November - our Christmas fair 3 - 5pm at Lowick school.

Monday 25th November - parents evening

Tuesday 3rd December - school photo day

Friday 6th December - Christmas lunch day

Monday 9th December - 2pm afternoon Christmas performance; and

Tuesday 10th December - 6pm evening Christmas performance (both at Lowick school)

Wednesday 18th December - Christmas church service at St John the Baptist in Lowick

Thursday 19th December - Christmas party afternoon

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